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## INSURANCE.

*Life Insurance Co. of Va., Petersburg, Va.*

SAMUEL E. PAUL, President.  
ROBERT ROLLING, Vice Presidents.  
J. W. PHORM, Secretary.

JOHN F. DAY, Superintendent of Agencies.  
K. KEMPER, General Agent Alexandria, Va.  
Office No. 56 Kingstreet.

## CAPITAL AND ASSETS OVER \$5,000,000.

This solvent and conservative life company, in all its dealings and prompt in its payments, solicits the examination and confidence of those desiring life policies within this department. Its rates are low as they can be made with full safety to the insured, and its investments are all made at home. Attention is called to the accompanying letter.

R. KEMPER, General Agent.

Alexandria, Va., August 10, 1879.

Dear Brother, General Agent, Life Insurance Co. of Virginia, Alexandria, Va.

Please accept much pleasure in making known to you, not only of the prompt payment by check of your company to me, but also of the full amount due on the life policy of my father, but we have also expressed our appreciation in the aid and facilities afforded us by your company in the time of trouble.

Very truly yours,

HAROLD BROWN.

## WATCHES AND JEWELRY.

*H. W. Galt, Bro. & Co., Jewelers and Silversmiths.*

107 Pennon, over Washington, D. C., fine diamonds in every variety, Diamond Rings, Gold and Silver Watch for ladies, gentlemen and boys.

New Patent Sterling Silver Forks and Spoons, Sterling Silver and Silver-gilt Children's Cups and Saucers, Table Cutlery, Fine Clocks, Boxes and Paper Goods, Antique Brass Chandeliers, Canes and Umbrellas, Gold Steel and Silver Glass, Spectacles, etc.

Strangers are invited to visit our store, meeting may obtain a token of our courtesy.

All orders by mail promptly executed.

## DRY GOODS.

*CLOAKS! CLOAKS!*

Saturday, October 22, 1879. We received this morning our orders from New York the largest assortment of Cloaks we have ever offered, varying in price from \$1 to \$15. Call and see them.

D. F. BRASHEAR,  
H. B. HOOVES,  
No. 109 King street,  
Alexandria, Va.

## LARGE STOCK OF DRY GOODS.

Wednesday, October 22, 1879. We now offer one of the largest stocks of goods we have ever offered in this market, all bought for cash, and will be sold at very low prices.

We call special attention to a full assortment of Cloths and Cambrics, Men's, Boys' and Ladies' Cloth and Felt Skirts. A full stock of Shawls, Ladies' and Men's Meringue Vests, Table Damask and Napkins, Madder Ginghams, choice patterns; also Velvets, Satins, Bolts, Buttons, Corsets, Ties, Buck Gloves, Opera Flannels, etc., &c.

D. F. BRASHEAR,  
H. B. HOOVES,  
No. 109 King street,  
Alexandria, Va.

## PRETZFELDER & CO.

14 KING STREET,  
HAVE RECEIVED THEIR FULL STOCK  
OF NEW GOODS.

Comprising new and desirable patterns of Green Goods, Shawls, Blankets, Mantles, Cambrics, Skirts, &c. We have just opened a beautiful line of Colored and Black Cambrics, Silk and Satin Scars. In a few days we will receive European goods of our own importation. They will consist of Paisley Shawls, Ladies' Cloaks, and Gloves, Table Damasks and Parian Porcelain, all of which we offer to the public at the lowest prices.

We call special attention to our stock of CARPETS, consisting of Body and Tapestry Brussels, Three-Ply and Ingrain; also to our Velvet and Brussels Rugs, Mats, &c.

PRETZFELDER & CO.

## DRUGGISTS AND APOTHECARY.

J. BROTHERS & CO.

Wholesale Dealers and Jobbers in  
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, FLUIDS,  
SALT AND FISH.

A full line of celebrated pure, old Whiskey, Brandies, Gin, Rum, &c., Masey & Co.'s Pinto and Clagett's Baltimore Ale, and Butter & Engell's Lager Beer, in casks or bottles.

Agents for James S. Welch's Best Family Flour, James S. Kirk & Co.'s Standard Soaps, Dupont & Co.'s Sporting and Blasting Gunpowder, and Baltimore and Potomac River Steamer.

Orders promptly attended to, and consignments solicited.

No. 11 King street,  
Alexandria, Va.

## J. W. AVERY.

Dealer in  
HOME FAMILY AND FANCY GROCERIES, WINE LIQUORS, &c., &c.

23 King st., corner Abbot.

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

## ESTABLISHED 1850.

J. P. CLARKE,

AT THE OLD LOCATION—158 KING ST.

Will exhibit a well assorted stock of WALL PAPERS, WINDOW SHADINGS, FURNITURE, CORD and TASSELS, LINE PICTURES and PICTURE FRAMES from the best manufacturers and importers of the best and most popular designs.

He attends to the wants of his customers and fair dealing to merit a share of their patronage.

FADED FABRICS made to look fresh and new by THOMPSON'S LIGHTNING REPAIRER. Warranted to do as represented, or the money cheerfully refunded.

LUNT & DAVIDSON,  
Agents for Alexandria.

MILLINERY! MILLINERY!—My fall styles are now ready, in Straw, Felt and Cloth; also a full line of Velvets, Satin and Cloth; 15 dozen Felt Hats at the each.

FERGUSON BROS.,  
16 King street.

## NEW BOOKS AND PAPER.

SAVE YOUR COMBINGS and have them made into Switches, Braids, Curls, Puffs, &c. Hair Braids, Curls, Puffs, &c. at the old price for the next 30 days at

FERGUSON & BROS.

16 King street.

## \$20 PER TON OF 200 LBS. \$20

I am now prepared to furnish the above valuable fertilizer at the low price of \$20 per ton for 200 lbs. per ton on cars or boats. It is in a ready state so they can prepare it for sale directly. There is nothing in this except what the furnish with the oil extracted (which is sold by all chemists to be a fertilizer). I can refer to those I sell to last spring, most of whom have already seated in their orders for more to use on their wheat.

W. R. AVERY, Agent.

100 BOXES various brands of Family SOAPS—Babbitts, Higgins, Standard, Oriental, Dobbins and other varieties.

HARMON & SMITH.

BONELESS COD FISH, scaled Herring and Nos. 1, 2 and 3 Mackerel, received and for sale cheap by

R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

COPELAND'S TEA SETS, something new and see them at

E. J. MILLER & CO'S., 65 King street.

NEW VASES and BOUQUET HOLDERS, something handsome. Call and see them

E. J. MILLER & CO'S., 65 King street.

250 TONS BONE MEAL, Bone Dust and Equitable Fertilizers for sale at bottom prices by

R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

## AUCTION SALES.

By Green & Wise.

Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.

NOMINATIONS SALE OF VALUABLE FARM AND DWELLING.—In pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court of the city of Alexandria, in the cause of Kephart against Dixon's adm'r, and others, the undersigned commissioners of sale, will offer for sale by public auction at about 12 o'clock m. on WEDNESDAY, November 1st, at 11 a.m., in front of the Post Office, Alexandria, Va., or at the entrance of the Court House, Fairfax street, between King and Prince streets, two and one-half acres of land containing 100 feet front on Fairfax street, bounded and described as follows: Beginning in the west end of 11th Street, bounded two hundred and twenty-five feet east of Gibson street, and running back two inches south of Gibson street, and ending in a street 100 feet long and one half inch thick, thence westwardly parallel to Gibson street, one hundred and twenty-five feet east of Gibson street, and running back two inches south of 11th Street, bounded two hundred and twenty-five feet east of Gibson street, 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